

Tobacco Prevention Community Partnership Snapshot — FY 2015

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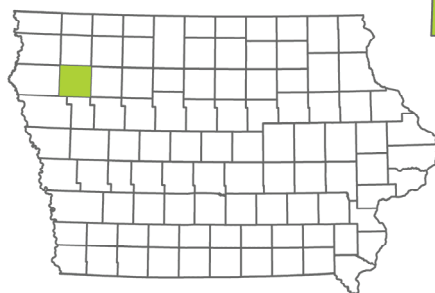
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Cherokee



Population and Funding

Population served:

Cherokee: 11,945

FY 2015 funding total:
\$9,805

Funding per capita:
(annualized)
\$0.98

Tobacco Related-Disease Burden

age-adjusted rate/100,000 population

County	Death rate				Hospitalization rate	
	cancer	heart disease	stroke	COPD/emphysema	COPD/emphysema	asthma
Cherokee	122.7	165.6	28.4	42.7	173	45
State of Iowa	173.1	178.3	45.3	47.6	174	69

Estimated adult smoking prevalence

Iowa Behavioral Risk Factor
Surveillance System, 2006-2012

Cherokee: 10% (5.5% - 16.5%)

State of Iowa (2013): 19.5%

Youth tobacco use prevalence

Iowa Youth Survey
2012

Cherokee: 5%

State of Iowa: 17.0%



Population counts are based on 2012 population estimates from the U.S. Census Bureau. Adult prevalence estimates are self-reported rates and confidence intervals of rates of cigarette smoking in Iowans 18 and older; youth rates are self-reported tobacco use rates in 11th grade students. **Rates where number of events is less than 20. *At least 5% of all county inpatient records are missing. *** Less than half of 11th grade students in this county participated in the survey. Rates that are asterisked should be interpreted with caution and not compared with other counties. na=number students participating too low to reliably report rates. Deaths are 2009-2010 for COPD and stroke, 2010-12 for heart disease and cancer and hospitalizations are 2006-2008 vintage. Average annualized per capita state funding across all community partnerships was \$0.79 in FY2015.

